

Baltimore, Five Counties, Join In a Blackout

More Than Two Thirds of State's Population Participates

BALTIMORE, Feb. 27 (AP)—More than two-thirds of Maryland's population joined in a fifteen-minute blackout tonight that covered a 2,261 square mile area embracing Baltimore and five counties along the Western Shore of the Chesapeake Bay.

In the most extensive test yet conducted on the eastern seaboard, lights were blotted out at 9:45 in Baltimore city and the counties of Baltimore, Harford, Anne Arundel, Howard and Carroll.

The area, crowded with vital war industry plants, extended from the Pennsylvania state line south to the suburbs of Washington.

Baltimore Traffic Halts

Downtown Baltimore, in the light of a pale three-quarter moon, was like a city of the dead. As the lights went out and traffic halted, a deep rush fell over the city, accentuated now and then by the echo of an occasional pedestrian's footsteps or the nervous cough of a bystander.

There were a few instances of tardy response to the lights out order but Baltimore business section was immersed in deep gloom before the test period was over.

A large neon sign atop a bank glowed for thirteen minutes. Cheers arose from a crowd in front of the building when the light finally went dead. A hotel marquee remained lighted for several minutes until a man in the crowd smashed the neon tube with his cane.

Even the dock and shipyard lights of Baltimore's busy harbor were extinguished. However, some war industry plants in the area, by special permission, kept their lights on. The huge Glenn L. Martin aircraft plant at Middle River was one of these.

Down in bay in Anne Arundel county, the naval academy's warning siren was heard over an area extending for miles and Annapolis and the academy doused their lights on schedule. Very few infractions were reported. While practically all home lights were extinguished a few were seen glimmering along the back country roads.

Lighted buoys in the bay remained in operation and the anchor and running lights of boats were left on. The red aircraft lights on the academy's high radio towers were put out for a while but precautionary flashes appeared from time to time.

In Carroll county, State Police Sergeant C. R. Blizzard reported 100 per cent compliance with the test before the period ended. Only three dim lights were apparent in Westminster.

Seven sirens, thirty-two church bells and two steam whistles sounded the alarm to the county at the zero hour and within five minutes the control center at Westminster had completed its twenty-nine scheduled alert calls to outlying communities.

At Union Bridge, a civilian defense organization with jurisdiction over some 3,000 persons immediately swung into action. As thirty policemen and auxiliaries patrolled the area, seven first aid stations and a complete emergency hospital were manned by first aid workers and nursing aides in simulated air raid defense activity.

Boy Scouts enacted the role of air raid victims. Three refugee stations of from 800 to 1,000 capacity were opened for the theoretical arrival of evacuees from the Washington and Baltimore areas.

Two Explosions At Deal Island Described as Hoax

PRINCESS ANNE, Md., Feb. 27 (AP)—Two explosions at Deal Island today, at first feared to be exploding bombs or mines, were described as a hoax by Sheriff I. Fred Phoebe of Somerset county.

R. Brown, Deal Island filling station operator, said two blasts were heard. They appeared to be a quarter of a mile away at the beach about 500 yards from the Deal Island bridge.

The first, he said, was at about 8 a. m., and the second at 1 p. m. He ran outside to see if the blasts were caused by an airplane.

Sheriff Phoebe said he was called to investigate what he was told appeared to be exploding mines in Tangier sound. He found holes two feet across and a foot deep blasted in a sand hill on the beach. There was no metal at the scene.

Mrs. Elizabeth Price and Raynor Graham saw sand hurled into the air by the second blast. Fearing another explosion, none of the residents approached the vicinity.

Sheriff Phoebe said footsteps led from the sandhill and that some one apparently set off dynamite as a joke.

Henderson Balks Boost In Cigarette Prices

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27 (AP)—Price Administrator Leon Henderson refused today to permit an increase in cigarette prices, asserting that an OPA investigation showed that current prices were "fair and equitable."

"Accordingly," he ruled, "the (old) schedule x x x and prices x x x are continued in effect."

The present schedule provides that cigarette prices must be held to levels prevailing on December 26, 1941.

BRITISH SOLDIERS CAPTURE A NAZI TANK



Here is a rare picture of a Nazi tank and its crew being captured by British soldiers in Libya. A New Zealander (foreground) keeps his man covered with a pistol while another (center) makes sure all the enemy crew are out. A third (left) covers the entire scene.

SINGS FOR SOLDIERS



Paula Crystal

Paula Crystal, coloratura soprano, whose recent debut in New York won the acclaim of critics, will do her share in the war effort with a concert for the soldiers stationed on Governors Island in New York. Miss Crystal will give a program of songs chosen by the soldiers themselves.

General Martin Is Candidate To Succeed James

Former Army Division Candidate Seeks Republican Nomination

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 27 (AP)—Major General Edward Martin, former commander of the army's Twenty-eighth division, announced today his candidacy for Republican nomination for governor of Pennsylvania at the May 19 primary.

His candidacy, reputedly backed by the Republican state organization, brought the possibility of a four way fight for the G.O.P. nomination. U. S. Senator James J. Davis and Lieutenant Governor Samuel S. Lewis already are in the race, and the insurgent Republican New Guard group has named William Harman, Philadelphia, organizer of the Pennsylvania Willie clubs in 1940, as its candidate. Harman has not made a definite statement.

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This plan involved also the capture of the Philippines and Guam, Wake and Midway Islands.

4. The Japanese fishing fleet in the Pacific engaged in espionage and many of the boats were staffed by Japanese naval officers.

5. Through thousands of merchants temporarily in this country and its own nationals and adherents, Japan for many years had conducted an elaborate espionage campaign.

Believe Coast in Danger

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Typhus Fever, One of War's Partners, Spread by Lice, Dr. Clendening Says

BY LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D., published in 1824. Typhus fever has never seen a case of typhus fever. Yet it has been here, as witness one of the great American medical classics, Dr. Nathan Smith's "Practical Essay on Typhus Fever."

Typhus fever should not be confused with typhoid fever. Typhoid fever is spread by contaminated water and affects the intestines, which typhus does not. Typhus is spread by the louse.

Whenever you get wars, migrations, famine, destruction and lack of personal cleanliness, you get typhus.

In Europe it occurred in the French armies during Napoleon's retreat from Moscow and after World War I, in 1915, the Serbian and Austrian armies were so devastated

with it, that it practically stopped hostilities.

Epidemic in Russia

After the war one of the worst epidemics in history occurred in revolution-ridden, post-war Russia.

Typhus is called war fever, ship fever, jail fever, prison fever, camp fever, and hospital fever. The French doctor, Charles Nicolle, working in Tunis, discovered how the disease was spread. He noticed that patients with typhus fever

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By Dr. Clendening

For Monday— 700 calories. (Efficient, balanced, satisfying)

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Lunch, One boiled lamb chop—no fat (150 calories)—Vitamin B; chifonade salad (finely chopped celery, small section tomato, watercress, lettuce) (seventy-five calories—roughage); one tablespoonful cottage cheese (100 calories); 1 cup tea—no cream or sugar.

Dinner, One cup hot tomato juice (fifty calories); one average helping lean corned beef (100 calories); two tablespoons of cauliflower—no butter (twenty-five calories); one cup rhubarb sauce (seventy-five calories); one cup coffee—no cream or sugar.

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land and Russia and the Balkans that show a ten fold increase in the number of cases.

The American army in the last war escaped typhus fever very

Two Hours To Do



largely because there had been initiated a good system of delousing uniforms and the soldiers were ordered to bathe and soap themselves well while the clothes were being washed.

If typhus fever should get a start, it is quite capable of stopping the war no matter what the desires of the diplomats and politicians might be.

Questions and Answers

M. L.—"Are injections good for arthritis?"

Answer: You do not say what the injections are. Some injections are beneficial for arthritis.

Strip Tease Acts Taboo in Wheeling

WHEELING, W. Va., Feb. 27 (AP)—

Strip tease acts and dances of a similar nature are taboo in Wheeling night clubs from now on, City Manager Robert L. Plummer has ruled.

Lieut. Fidelis Straus has been named head of a new police censor board to visit the night spots every evening.

Employees' of Insurance Agency Donate Trees To Huntington Park

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Feb. 27 (AP)—

Employees of the C. W. Cammack Insurance agency, seeking a novel way to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the firm, decided to present fifty oak saplings to the Huntington park commission.

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WHAT A LIFE SAVER, WHEN YOU THOUGHT OF BREAKING THAT WATER GAUGE, BFA!

AN EMERGENCY SOMETIMES BRINGS BACK FORGOTTEN KNOWLEDGE!

AND FOUR BLOCKS AWAY! YEAH - SOMETHING WENT WRONG. TURN THIS BUGGY AROUND!

DICK TRACY—Lost Labor

Leftovers Pie

Onion Soup Good For Cold Weather

On a cold brisk winter day few warm foods are so satisfying as steaming hot soup. Many housewives prepare a savory soup for the noon meal because it is a nourishing, though light, dish. Onion soup, made with bacon, is delicious soup for the noon-day meal or the Sunday night supper.

Ingredients: Four sweet Spanish onions, two slices of cubed bacon, two tablespoons flour, one quart of milk, salt and pepper and dry bread and grated American cheese.

Directions: Cube the bacon and fry over a slow fire or with low heat until fat is extracted. Have the onions thinly sliced, ready to put in the pan with the bacon fat after the crisp, brown bacon has been removed. Sauté the onions until they are tender. Add flour, bacon, and milk to the onions, stirring constantly until the soup is slightly thickened. Add salt and pepper.

In place of crackers, sprinkle grated cheese over cubes of dry bread, toast in oven, and serve with soup. A green salad, baked apples, and tea or chocolate may complete this warmer-upper lunch.

Meat and Potato Trick

Sprinkle 4 tablespoons cold water, few drops at a time, over the mixture working it in lightly with fork until all particles are moistened and in small lumps. Press dough into ball, handling as little as possible. Flour board lightly. Divide pastry in half and lightly roll to 1/8 inch thickness. Add salt in pie plate, cut circles of small pea.



To Keep Egg Yolks

Leftover egg yolks will keep a week if carefully stored. Beat yolks with fork, add one teaspoon cold water for each two yolks, store covered, in the refrigerator. The yolks will not dry out or have film form.

New Relish Salad

Try this new relish salad with fish, meat or fowl: roll cottage or white cream cheese into inch balls, roll in catsup or chili sauce, chill.

Meringue Pie Hint

To help keep pie meringue in place when baked, spread the meringue clear to the crust.

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VICTORY CAKE: Something for the boys to cheer about.

By LOUISE BENNET WEAVER
Wide World Features Writer

Boxes of goodies from home have been found to hold priority rights over most other packages received by soldiers at camps.

Home-made cookies and confections make delicious treats for the boys, and something their buddies may share. So remember, when sending boxes make them large and well filled.

Molasses Drops: Cream a cup of fat (anything but butter) with a cup dark brown sugar. Add 1 cup

2 cups light brown sugar, add 3 eggs, beaten, 3 squares (3 ounces) melted chocolate, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoons vanilla, 1/4 cup thick sour cream and 1 cup chopped nuts. Beat then stir in 4 1/4 cups flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder and 1/2 teaspoon soda. Shape into rolls, 2 inches in diameter. Wrap in waxed paper and chill over-night. Cut thin slices with sharp knife frequently dipped in warm water to prevent sticking. Bake 10 minutes in moderate oven (350). Use warm water and roll in plain and well filled.

Fruit Bars: Beat 6 eggs, add 2 cups sugar and beat for a minute. Mix in 1 cup each chopped dates, raisins and prunes, 1 cup nuts, 2 teaspoons vanilla, 1 teaspoon each cinnamon and salt, 2 cups flour and 3 teaspoons baking powder. Pour to 1/2 inch thickness in shallow pan lined with waxed paper. Bake 30 minutes in moderate oven (350). While warm cut in bars and roll in plain and well filled.

Cream fat and sugar. Add eggs, vanilla, salt, vanilla extract. Beat, sift flour and soda and add with butter milk and rest of ingredients. Beat again and pour into loaf pan. Bake 1 1/2 hours. Cool 15 minutes in moderate oven (350). Let cake stand 5 minutes in pan and remove to rack. Cool and frost.

Frosting: 1/2 cup fat, 1 egg white, beaten, 1/2 cup corn syrup, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup chocolate, 1/2 cup butter soda or sour milk

Simmer fruit and water 5 minutes. Add honey and cool. Stir into white, add rest of ingredients. Stir until thick.

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Social Events and Items of Interest for the Women

LaVale Woman Is Named Delegate To Assembly

Mrs. Harry Simpson Will Attend W.S.C.S. Meeting in Columbus

Mrs. Harry C. Marsh, Hagerstown, district president, and Mrs. Harry Simpson, LaVale, district corresponding secretary, were elected delegate and alternate delegate to the Assembly to be held May 19-22 in Columbus, O., at the meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Hagerstown district Thursday in Hagerstown.

The round table discussion of the missionary education work was led by Mrs. Samuel Rose, conference secretary of Missionary Education. The methods in presenting the work being the chief topic of the discussion. "Christianity and Democracy" was chosen as one of the study books and will be used here next week.

Mrs. S. R. Neel, this city, reported on the Jurisdictional Council, held recently in Philadelphia. One of the highlights of her talk was a description of a picture of Christ giving His peace to the world, as the theme of the feast of the Nations in which all nations participated. Mrs. R. J. Reuschlein, this city, reported on the lending library of 300 volumes.

The Rev. O. B. Langrall, pastor of St. Paul's church, Hagerstown, district superintendent, in addressing the meeting on "For the Facing of This Hour" declared Kagawa was the greatest Christian force against militarism in the far East. The Rev. M. A. Keecker, pastor of the Washington Square church, reported the morning worship.

Reports from the district treasurer were given and the pledges for the year were made. The district pledge was \$5,500. Central Methodist church, this city, pledged \$216; Kingsley, \$151; Trinity, \$196; Grace, \$670 and Centre Street church, \$600.

Attending the meeting from here were Mrs. A. H. Robinson, Mrs. J. C. Twigg, Mrs. F. R. Brady, Mrs. R. J. Reuschlein, Central church; the Rev. and Mrs. V. N. Radice, Mrs. Harry Simpson, Mrs. H. Harvey Hill, Mrs. William Bishop, Centre Street church; the Rev. and Mrs. Charles LeFevre, Mrs. E. W. Yates, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. A. E. Keecker, Mrs. Frank Mills, Mrs. Ernest Storer, Grace church; the Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Neel, Mrs. Oscar Swartley, Mrs. James Andrew, Miss Elizabeth Markwood, Trinity church; Mrs. H. A. Kester, Mrs. C. A. Wigal, Mrs. Margaret Albertson, Mrs. Ethel Simmons, Mrs. Leota Gurley, Kingsley church; and Mrs. Virgil Lee, Mrs. J. B. Heavner, Mrs. Paul Artes, Mrs. Charles Shinnholz, Mrs. Ruby Orndorff, Mrs. Fred Groden, Mrs. William Beale and Mrs. Lillian Trappe, First church.

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Brides Honored at Miscellaneous Shower

Two recent brides, Mrs. Paul Harsh, the former Miss June Blough, and Mrs. William Bradford, the former Miss Geraldine Wallis, were the guests of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Miss Margaret Barnes at her home, 416 Louisiana avenue, Thursday.

Others present were Mrs. Lillian Klavins, Mrs. Harry Boyer, Mrs. Fred Lehman, Miss Peggy Fulton, Miss Sara Jane Davis, Mrs. Charles Hoenicka, Miss Juanita Rice and Mrs. Florence Logsdon.

Legion Auxiliary Will Initiate Class of Twenty

A class of twenty will be initiated into the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening in the Legion home, by Mrs. J. Thomas Long, president. She will be assisted by Mrs. Pearl Allen, Mountain District vice-president and junior past president; Mrs. Effie Vogel and Mrs. Earl Brooks, first and second vice-presidents.

A surprise program is being planned following the ceremony.

Marks Birthday

Teresa Malachowski, Race street, was honored on her thirteenth birthday with a party.

Those attending were Rosemary Malachowski, Veronica Buskey, Regenia Britt, Margaret Mulvey, Rosemarie Straub, Genevieve Suders, Margaret Clark, and Lois O'Donnell.

Those attending were Mrs. Edith Screen, Kathleen Webb, Mrs. John Fisher, Mrs. Harry R. Hall and Mrs. Carl Antwerp.

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Betrothal Is Announced



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Former Cumberland Man To Wed Akron, O., Girl

Engagement of Miss Marjorie Reese to James B. Craig Is Announced

The engagement of Miss Marjorie Reese to James Barkley Craig, son of Mrs. G. B. Craig, Salem, N. Y., has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Chauncey Reese, 1467 Holly avenue, Akron, O.

Miss Reese is a graduate of Garfield high school and attended Akron university. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Mr. Craig graduated from the Middlebury, Vt., high school and Kent State university, Kent, O. He is a member of Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity.

Following his graduation from the university, Mr. Craig was employed by a finance company in Akron and later by the Akron Times-Press. He also worked on a daily newspaper at Athens, O., prior to coming to Cumberland in February, 1939, to be a reporter with the Cumberland News. He was inducted into the army April 1941, and is stationed with the One Hundred Seventy-sixth Infantry at Fort George G. Meade.

The date for the wedding has not been announced.

Plans Are Made For Temple Supper

The newly formed Officers of Manhattan Temple met last evening at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hixson, 709 Baker street. A supper to be held in the near future for members of Manhattan temple was discussed at the business meeting.

At the social hour which followed prizes were won by Mrs. Ruth Keifer and Mrs. Ruth Smith. Others present were Mrs. Eva Blake, Mrs. Margaret Mahaney, Mrs. Agnes Lee, Mrs. Anna Robinette, and Mrs. Mabel Anne.

Those attending were Mrs. George Dick, Mrs. Angela Towler, Mrs. Helen Felton, and Mrs. Dorothy Krouse, Miss Marie Bishop, Miss Daisy Ovez, Miss Vivian Jenkins, Miss Hazel Poole, Miss Mildred Hender, shot Miss Nona Ours, Miss Eva Redcamp, Miss Plummer, and Miss Marjorie Breddlove.

Entertains With Supper

Dancing and bowling featured the evening's entertainment following a spaghetti supper at the home of Mrs. Ella Valentine, Potomac Park Wednesday evening.

Those attending were Mrs. George Dick, Mrs. Angela Towler, Mrs. Helen Felton, and Mrs. Dorothy Krouse, Miss Marie Bishop, Miss Daisy Ovez, Miss Vivian Jenkins, Miss Hazel Poole, Miss Mildred Hender, shot Miss Nona Ours, Miss Eva Redcamp, Miss Plummer, and Miss Marjorie Breddlove.

Entertains Club

Mrs. Adrian Meyers Oldtown road, was hostess to members of the Happy Go Lucky Club at her home last evening. Games and refreshments were the diversions of the evening.

Those attending were Mrs. Adrian Meyers, Mrs. J. G. Meyers, Mrs. Mary Kester, Mrs. Ellen Rhee, Mrs. Nettie Phillips, Mrs. Audrey Leasure, Mrs. Kenneth Henry, Mrs. George Mathews, Mrs. Clara Dunnigan, Miss Ann Crosby, and Miss Jacqueline Meyers.

Mrs. Bernard L. Kesler will entertain the club at its next meeting.

High Scores Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Douglas held high score and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Millenson second high, in the second session in the annual bridge tournament for members of the Cumberland Country Club held Tuesday evening.

A buffet supper was served preceding the play.

There were four tables in play.

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Church Services for Sunday and the Week

Methodist

Centre Street

The Rev. Vernon N. Ridgely, D.D., minister, 9:45 a.m., church school; 11 a.m. morning worship, subject, "Be of Good cheer!" This service will be broadcast over WTBO; 11 a.m., children's hour; 4 p.m., vesper service. The pastor will give the second Lenten meditation on "The Story of the Cross." Music by the senior and junior choirs, fifty voices. There will be no evening service; 4 p.m., children's hour; 5:15 p.m., joint meeting of Youth Fellowship. Leader, Arthur Paeto.

First Methodist

Bedford street, the Rev. George E. Baumgardner, minister; 132 Bedford street, Church school, 9:45; the nursery hour, 11 o'clock; junior church and catechetical instructions at 11 o'clock; divine worship, 11 a.m., sermon by the minister; the regular afternoon service at 3 to 3:45, which is broadcast. Young Adult Fellowship group meets at 6:30, evening services, 7:30.

Central Methodist

South George street, A. H. Robinson, minister, 9:45 a.m., church school; 11 a.m., worship service; the minister will give a brief Communion meditation which will be followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper; 7:30 p.m., evening worship, with sermon by the minister; sermon subject, "Choosing or Chosen."

Trinity Methodist

S. R. Neel, minister, 9:30 a.m., church school, 11 a.m., worship service; sermon subject, "Let Life Begin"; 6:45 p.m., Youth fellowship; 7:30 p.m., evening worship, sermon subject, Divine Fellowship.

The Kingsley Methodist

The Rev. Hurl A. Kester, S. T. D., Church school, 9:30 a.m.; divine worship, 11 a.m.; Holy Communion. The theme, "The Holy Grail"; evening worship service at 7:30 p.m.; the theme, "Taking God at His Word"; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

Park Place Methodist

Divine worship, 9:30 a.m.; the Lord's Supper will be observed; church school, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Fellowship, 7:30 p.m.

Emmanuel Methodist

Humboldt street, Richard L. Wittig, pastor; Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; morning worship, 11 a.m.; steadfast, immovable, abounding in love; the theme, "Barabbas or Jesus?" A Youth Service will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. The youth of Grace church will conduct the entire service.

The Golden Text



The parable of the pearl of great price
"Never man so spake."—John 7:16

Communion and divine worship at 10:30 a.m., subject, "The Abundant Life"; Evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m., subject, "Sin, The Transgression of the Law".

Christian Tabernacle

James H. Lillie, minister. Meets in the B. and O. Y. M. C. A. Virginia avenue, Bible school 9:30 a.m., morning worship and Communion 10 o'clock.

Mt. Zion Nazarene Tabernacle

Iron Mountain, the Rev. A. Lester Lepley, pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. and preaching at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The Duke Memorial Bible Class

A men's Bible Class meets every Sunday morning at Central Y. M. C. A. at 9:45 a.m.; International Lessons used.

Church of God

420 Virginia avenue, Sunday school 9:45 o'clock; church worship service at 7:30 o'clock.

Mennonite

Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; preaching service 10:30 a.m.; evening service 7:30 p.m.

Church of Christ

Queen City hotel, Bible classes 10 a.m.; sermon 11 a.m.; Communion 11:45 a.m.; evangelistic service 7 p.m. George F. Whitmore, Martinsburg, W. Va., will speak morning and evening; subject, "Wells of Water or Rain Barrels"; evening, "An Analysis of Temper."

First Church of Christ, Scientist

Washington street; "Christ Jesus" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday; Sunday service 11 a.m.; Sunday school 11 a.m. Calvary Tabernacle

Cresaptown, J. E. Rosner, pastor 9:45 Sunday school, Missionary Sunday; 10:45 morning worship; 11:45 Communion service; 7:30 "Good News" service, subject, "Why So Many Christian Lives Are Failures".

Full Gospel Church

Cresaptown, the Rev. Edwin S. Stevenson, pastor. Sunday school 10 a.m., evangelistic service 7:45 p.m.

First Church of the Nazarene

508 Oldtown road, the Rev. J. H. Parker, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; divine worship and sermon by the pastor at 10:45 a.m., subject, "The Man who was Misunderstood". Junior and Intermediate Training Unions at 6:30 p.m. Worship and address by the pastor at 7:30 p.m.

Welsh Memorial

W. D. Rees, pastor, 10 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. divine worship. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the morning service.

Saint Michael's Catholic

The Rev. Patrick J. Bradley, rector; the Rev. Francis E. Montgomery and the Rev. Dominic A. Bonomo, assistants. Second Sunday in Lent: Low Masses at 7, 8 and 9 a.m. The Sodality of the B. V. M. and other women will receive Holy Communion at 7 o'clock Mass; High Mass, 10:15 a.m.; baptisms, one p.m.; novena devotion of the Miraculous Medal, 7:30 p.m.

First English Baptist

The Rev. C. B. Jones, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:45 a.m., sermon theme, "Heaven's Joy" — the Lord's supper at this service. Evening service, 7:30 p.m., message, "No Compromise".

Zion Evangelical Reformed

The Rev. Irvin F. Kracke, minister, 9:45 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m.; morning worship service. The revival continues with Lieut. Burl Wyatt as speaker. Saturday night

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BEWARE OF BIG HANDS

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♠ 7 5 4 2
♥ 8 5 3
♦ 6 3
♣ 9 8 3

♠ A Q 9 8
♥ Q 9 6
♦ A 7
♣ J 6 4 2

♠ 10
♥ J 10 7 4
♦ 2
♣ 8 5 2

♠ K 7 6 3
♥ A K
♦ K 10 9 4
♣ A K

♠ 10 7 5
♥ 10
♦ 2
♣ 8 5 2

(Dealer: West. Neither side vulnerable.)

West North East South

1. 1 ♠ Pass Pass 3 NT

1. 1 ♠ Pass Pass Dbl

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 NT

3. 1 ♠ Pass Pass Dbl

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2 NT

There were still other bids on

that deal, in a duplicate, though

the three tables reported were

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typical of most. Where West opened with 1-Club and South doubled, North bid 1-Spade and South 4-Spades. Loss of three spades and a diamond beat that contract. In fact, the only declarer who made his contract was the 2-No Trump man at Table 3. Just about the same play came at all three of the tables reported.

West led his spade 8 to the 10 and J. South laid down the club K and A to set up the Q in dummy, which he never was able to use. Next, to get out of West's hand the diamond A which he needed for his first bid, South led the diamond K. West took it and had sense enough to avoid repeating spades. He led the heart 6 to the A. South sent the diamond J to the Q and took the returned heart J with the K.

Then he ran three diamonds, making a total of eight tricks, but when he had to finish with a spade to the eleventh trick, discovered that West had held the spade A-Q and the heart Q, which took the last three tricks, making a total of five for the defense.

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Tomorrow's Problem

Aside from the value of aiding your partner to read your holding accurately, what advantage is there in an honor lead such as the jack from a combination headed by ace-jack-ten, over a fourth-best lead from the same combination?

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Christian and Missionary Alliance

123 South Lee street, James D. Steele, pastor. Morning worship 11 a.m.; evangelistic hour 7:30 p.m.

Assembly of God

Patterson Creek, W. Va., the Rev. Edwin S. Stevenson, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; morning worship 11 a.m.; evening worship 7:30 p.m.

First Methodist

Ralph W. Mott, minister; church school with classes for all at 9:30 a.m.; morning worship and sermon at 10:45 a.m., subject — They talked about Him"; Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p.m., Miss Nan Jefferies will be the speaker. Evening worship and sermon, "The Beatitudes: The Purse in Heart."

Smiths Predominate At Flying Field

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 27 (P) — The visitor at the Parkersburg airport must be careful these days — a casual remark addressed to "Mr. Smith" is likely to get five different answers.

The Smith clan has three members on the airport staff and two among the students. None are related.

The instructors are George Smith, Ken Smith and Russell Smith, the students, Bill and Lee Smith.

— The last word in luxury. Now when it appears, of course, oldster chuckle in remembrance and youngsters stare in wonderment.

museum piece, that Milburn electric vintage 1914, but it actually ran again during the trial the other day and if the worse of rationing comes to worse it may get regular service.

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St. Peter's Episcopal

Second Sunday in Lent, 7:30 p.m., evening prayer and sermon. The Guild will meet after the service.

Church of the Nazarene

Parkersburg, Corner Center and Charles streets, The Rev. Leonard L. Wright, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Divine worship at 10:45 a.m.

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Oak and Maple streets, the Rev. Leslie A. Dyson, minister. 9:30 a.m.

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Improved War Picture Aids Stocks In Retrieving Part of Lost Ground

Gains Run from Fraction
To Point or More on
Big Board

By BERNARD S. O'HARA

NEW YORK, Feb. 27. (AP)—A slightly more optimistic war picture aided selected stocks to retrieve a modest portion of recently lost ground in today's market.

Gains ran to a point or more for favorites in the forenoon but top marks were reduced in most cases at the close.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up 2 of a point at 36.9. Transfers of 362,840 shares compared with 353,200 yesterday.

Developments in the southwest Pacific, with the Japanese invasion armada getting the worst of it as United Nations reinforcements arrived, seemed to stiffen financial sentiment to some extent although the critical situation at Burma

ment following increased activity on the buying side among rails, utilities and an assortment of specialties.

Three of the five major groups in the Associated Press averages were up from 1 to 2 of a point and the other two held unchanged. Transfers expanded to \$9,116,800, par value, from \$7,415,600 on Thursday.

New York Stocks

	High	Low	Last
Alleg Corp	5-16	5-15	5-15
Al Chem & Dye	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
Alkali Starch	28 1/2	28	28 1/2
Alka-Chlor	28 1/2	28	28 1/2
Am Can	61 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Am Pow & Lt	11-16	11-16	11-16
Am Rayon	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Am Roll Mill	11 1/2	11	11
Am Smet & R	38 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2
Am Tch B	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Am Wtr Wks	48	48	48
Anaconda	23 1/2	23	23
Arm In	37	36 1/2	36 1/2
Arm & Sf	35	35	35
B & O	61 1/2	61	61
Beth Stl	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Build Mfg	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
C & P Co	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Cahier Corp	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Ches & O	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
Chrysler Corp	51 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Coast Gal Elect	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Com Solvents	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Com'with & Son	5-16	5-16	5-16
Cons Edison	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Cont Oil Del	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Curt-Wright	75	75	75
Doug Air	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
El Auto Lite	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
El Pow & Lt	23 1/2	22	22 1/2
El Pow & Lt	1	1	1
Gen RR	26	25 1/2	26
Gen RR	28	27 1/2	28
Gen Foods	32 1/2	32	32 1/2
Gen Mira	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Gen Pow & Lt	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Goodyear	13	12 1/2	13
Greyhound Corp	12	11 1/2	11 1/2
Ill Cent	47	47	47 1/2
Ind Nat	27 1/2	27	27 1/2
Int Nick Can	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Kennewick Corp	22	22	22
Lehigh Port C	22	22	22
Liberty Corp	20 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2
Lig & My B	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Loew's Inc	41	40 1/2	40 1/2
Mathewson Alk	26 1/2	26	26 1/2
McGraw-Hard	26 1/2	26	26 1/2
Nat Biscuit	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Nat Cash Reg	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Nat Dairy Pr	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Nat Pow & Lt	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
NY Cent RR	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
North Pac	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
North Oil	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Owens-Ill Glass	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Packard Mfr	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Param Pictures	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Param RR	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Phelps-Dodge	29 1/2	29	29 1/2
Pub Sv NJ	13	12 1/2	12 1/2
Pure Oil	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Radio Corp	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
RKO	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Rubber Steel	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Stearns-Roeback	7 1/2	7	7 1/2
Soc-Vacuum	13 1/2	12 1/2	13 1/2
Sou Pac	13	12 1/2	13
Standard	4	4	4
St Old Cal	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
St Oil Ind	23 1/2	22	23 1/2
St Oil N	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Studebaker Corp	8	8	8

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HE RUNS AMOK



Fear driven Leo G. Carroll runs amok among 400 natives on an island in the British West Indies. It's part of the plot in Paramount's technicolor film, "Bahama Passage," co-starring Madeleine Carroll and Sterling Hayden, which comes today to the Strand theater.

Theaters Today

"Bahama Passage" Showing at Strand

It was especially hot on the island of Salt Cay in the British West Indies one day. Shortly after dawn, not a breath of air whirled at the American and British flags over the Paramount camp which was pitched 4,000 miles from Hollywood to film "Bahama Passage" the Madeleine Carroll-Stirling Hayden picture opening today at the Strand theater. Sullen thunderheads rose like castles against the horizon. The treacherous Atlantic lay flat and calm to the edge of the vision.

"Odd weather," said Producer-director Edward H. Griffith.

"It's stark it calm," a native informed him, as he gazed at the sky.

Griffith asked for and got a translation. The "stark" meant that rain, or even a serious storm, might mar the day's shooting in technicolor. The "ile" was a colloquial pronunciation of "island" and referred to the fact that the Atlantic looked as if oil had been poured onto it. The "calm" oddly enough, had no meaning of its own.

"Bahama Passage" is one island film in which a tropical rainstorm does not play an important part, so stormy weather, in any language, was something Griffith preferred to do without. In this new technicolor picture all stormy weather is confined to the turbulent romance between lovely Madeleine Carroll and Sterling Hayden.

When movie players aren't working, they're usually in their dressing rooms, as far away from the set as they can get. But not Bruce Cabot. Since the "Sundown" company was working in a vast cave which completely covered one of the huge stages at Walter Wanger Studios, the leading male player in this story of modern war-time Africa hung around the stage, inspecting the various wonders of the cave, which serves as a setting for the exciting climax of "Sundown," which is now showing at the Maryland theater.

In his boyhood, Cabot, who lived at Carlsbad, N. M., fairly haunted the famous Carlsbad caverns, and caves have fascinated him ever since. "The technicians did a wonderful job in creating this cave out of plaster, plastic and cloth," he said. "The stalactites and stalagmites certainly looked like the real thing."

Andy Devine Sings
In 'Raiders of the Desert'

Andy Devine has reached another milestone in his film career, and the round-comedian is beginning to think all his milestones will be in the shape of a ukulele.

In his current picture, Universal's "Raiders of the Desert," in which he co-stars with Richard Arlen and which is now showing at the Garden theater, Andy portrays a ukulele serenader.

Andy's fight against the ring finally leads him to open combat with Asa Lock, father of Gene's sweetheart, Stephanie Lock. Despite Stephanie's insistence that her father is not the leader of the ring, Gene soon proves that he is and persuades Jimmy to go to the District Attorney to confess how he fell in with Lock.

Bruce Cabot and Gene Tierney, the romantic duo in "Sundown," currently appearing at the Maryland theater.

Nazi and Fascist propaganda have been used to discourage completion of the Pan American highway, according to the department of Commerce.

No. 1 Swinger Is
In "Ride 'Em Cowboy"

Ellie Fitzgerald, currently recognized as America's No. 1 swinger, makes her screen debut in Universal's newest Abbott and Costello laugh-riot, "Ride 'Em Cowboy," now showing at the Liberty theater.

Born in Newport News, Va., Miss Fitzgerald, left fatherless while still an infant, was taken by her mother to the Harlem sector of New York city. There she attended the public schools until she was fifteen, when her mother succumbed.

Penniless and facing hunger, the youngster set out to capitalize on her only known asset—her voice. She was playing New York's so-called "amateur circuit" when she was "discovered" by Chic Webb,

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who signed her to sing with his orchestra. Upon Webb's death, she took over the band.

In addition to her singing, Miss Fitzgerald is a highly successful song writer. Among her hit parade numbers is "A Tasket, A Tasket," which was suggested to her by a game she played as a child in Harlan.

In "Ride 'Em Cowboy" as the dud ranch cook, she joins a brilliant roster playing in support of the two comedians. Other supporting players include Dick Foran, Anne Gwynne, Johnny Mack Brown, Samuel S. Hinds, the Merrymacs, and the Hi-Hatters.

The excitement starts when lovely, blond Brenda Joyce is stranded in New York, alone and broke. As she is signing up at a nurses' registry in an attempt to find work,

she hears a call for another nurse. Rushing out of the office, Brenda tries to grab the call, but is soundly scolded when the other nurse, Jane Darwell, shows up on the scene.

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He Was the Most Indifferent Man in the Office—and the Handsomest, Which Complicated Things

[Distributed by United Feature Syndicate]

By ALICE DENNIS

Ellen Ahern, feature editor of the *World* Syndicate, stared out the window of her office and wondered how some men could hate women. There was Sam Delaney, for instance. And there were others, but Sam stood out because he hated for women had, apparently, inoculated Phil Knight with the same virus.

Ellen thought a lot of Phil Knight, feature writer for the syndicate. She could see him now in her mind's eye, stepping briskly into her office, tall and rangy and addicted to soft-toned tweed and brown shoes that always gleamed and shined like a newly polished briar. Always, when looking at him, he'd been packing for the last hour. She wondered if he would stop in and

imagined how nice it would be to run her fingers through it.

Ellen pondered, as she stared down upon the traffic crawling along the avenue, if her position as feature editor had anything to do with Phil's coolness toward her. Perhaps he was scared of her position, but Phil himself had plenty on the ball and some day would be as well known in the writing world as Ben Hecht, and other former newspapermen.

Ellen turned away from the window and sat down at her desk, unmindful of the pile of copy stacked before her. She knew that right now Phil was down the hall hurriedly gathering together his things. He'd been packing for the last hour. She ruminated, unruled blonde hair, she'd wondered if he would stop in and

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Hope You Don't Mind!

say good-bye before he departed, small mirror hanging on the wall. Surely, he owed that much to the Her expressive greenish-gray eyes one and only occasion they had had to be together, several nights ago. How clearly that evening stood out! She was on her way to the Brazilian embassy. Out in front of the building she had called a cab. As the cab pulled up, Phil loomed up at her side with a polite—

"Hope you don't mind, Miss Ahern."

Always in the past they had taken separate cabs even if their assignments called for the same destination. Phil—the real Phil—had always imagined he had thawed out and talked, of all things about her excellent taste for clothes! That same evening she went out with him and had a perfectly glorious time.

Ellen shook her head sadly. He had stepped into her office the next morning with a crisp, "Good morning, Miss Ahern," and a casual "The new story assignments are in. If you care to, we may find time to go over them, later."

He had not returned. And now he was being transferred.

Ellen got up and walked to a

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"Yes?" she repeated. Her crisp, businesslike tone brought a flush to Phil's cheeks. "Well," he said apologetically, "seeing I'm leaving and all that. I thought—"

"So I've heard," she cut in. "You knew?" She nodded.

He looked at her with a wistfulness and a something else in his eyes that made Ellen's heart stop for a split second. When he gulped up several times and finally blurted

"Ellen, I want you to know— She took a half step toward him and suggested softly: "Yes—?"

"Well, you see," he finally got out. "I was thinking that perhaps after I came back and had some kind of a reputation as a foreign correspondent, I—well—"

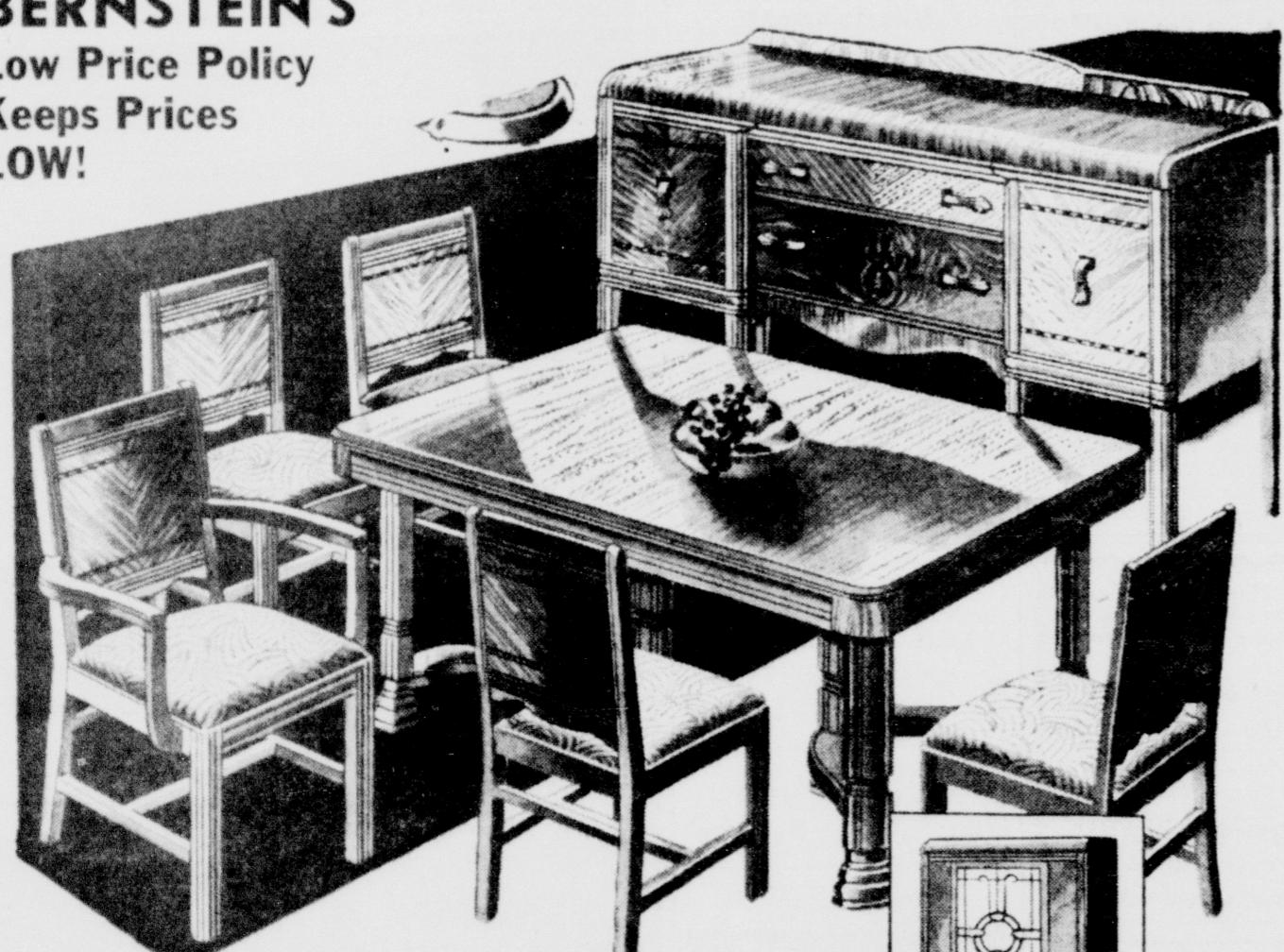
The soft glow in her eyes brought him to her in one giant stride. He gathered her in his arms, kissing her, crushing her to him, murmuring all the while: "Ellen . . . Ellen."

How long they stood there in the center of the room, oblivious of the clatter of typewriters from other offices and the noises coming up from the traffic-choked street, she did not know. All Ellen knew was that she was running her fingers as she had often yearned to do—through his rumpled, unruly hair and was hearing him whispering in her ear:

"What I was trying to say before this climax—as they would say in story writing—occurred was this: Will you promise not to even look at another man until I get back? And after I get back you'll have to promise to look only at me. Until death do us part," as the minister will tell us."

"I promise," she murmured.

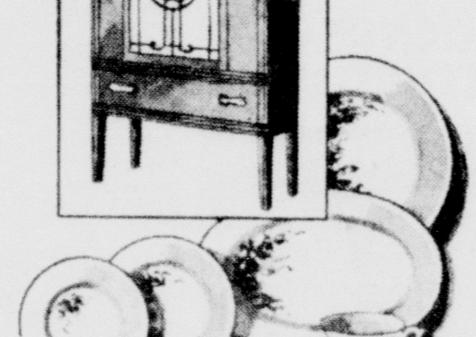
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FROSTBURG, Feb. 27 — N. L. Muri, representative of the United States Bureau of Mines, Pittsburgh, awarded certificates last evening to 224 persons who have completed the required training course in the United States Bureau of Mines first aid course conducted in Frostburg and vicinity.

The classes examined and the number receiving certificates were as follows: Gleaners class, First Methodist church, thirty-one; Frostburg control center, thirty-eight; Zihlman, (men) forty-one; Zihlman, (women) twenty-one; Frostburg Elks, forty-five; Hill street school, (men) thirty-three, and Hill street school, (women) fifteen.

New classes, with the Maryland Bureau of Mines furnishing instructors, will start Monday evening, as follows:

Elks Club, Harry White, Louis Edmunds and Henry Rank, instructors; American Legion, Oliver B. Whiting and Charles Geis, instructors; Carlos, (men's class) Lloyd Winebrenner and Charles Wade, instructors; Carlos, (women's class) Mrs. Marie Wellings and Mrs. Ella Clise, instructors; Klondike, (women's class) Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens and Mrs. Ruth Bendle, instructors; Lonaconing, (women's class) Irvin Lewis and Willard Morgan, instructors.

Midland, Harry Robinson, Harry Sulser and James Alexander, instructors; Zihlman, Donald Truly, Kenneth Truly and Frank Schirve, instructors; Eckhart school, Reuben O. Lewis and William Pape, instructors; Messengers of Frostburg Zone 1, 3 and 5, Firemen's hall, with Charles Rafferty and Philip Thomas as instructors.

First Aid Course To Open

Frostburg Control Center is enrolling women of the community for a first aid class to be given in Hafer's Funeral Home, beginning March 9.

The course will be taught by Mrs. Leo Mattingly, Mrs. Frank Mattingly, Mrs. John Montesant and Mrs. Helen Campbell, all recent graduates of a course taught by N. L. Muir, United States Bureau of Mines representative.

Receives First Aid Kit

James D. Aldridge, acting postmaster, has written a letter to Mrs. James C. Cobey, thanking the local Red Cross chapter for the first aid kit presented the postoffice and paid out of the Red Cross membership of November, 1941.

The kit is to be kept in readiness for the time when the postoffice may be used as an emergency first aid center. All postoffices, Aldridge said, have obtained such kits.

Silver Tea Planned

A silver tea for the benefit of the Red Cross will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Cobey, from 3 to 6 o'clock. The affair will be featured by vocal and instrumental music during the afternoon.

The proceeds will be used by the Red Cross to purchase material from local merchants from which to make Red Cross garments.

Frostburg Briefs

The Young Fellowship Group of First Methodist church will hold its monthly meeting Monday, at the home of Mrs. Clarence Richardson.

Circle No. 2, W. S. C. C. of the Methodist church, will meet Monday, 7:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Arthur Meek.

The next meeting of the Vale Summit 4-H Club will be held March 18, at the home of Miss Norma Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mire, 31 Water street, announce the birth of a daughter, Wednesday, in Miners' hospital.

Personals

Genray Greening, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Greening, a patient in Miners' hospital for ten days, will return to his home today.

Mrs. Fred Crowe, Sr., Eckhart, mother of former Mayor Frederick Crowe, this city, is reported seriously ill in Miners' hospital.

William Brode, employee of the Frostburg Cafe, is ill at his home.

Miss Margaret McKenzie, daughter of Joseph McKenzie, a former resident of Avilton, is reported ill at a hospital in Charlottesville, Va.

Clarence Miller, a resident of Route 1, Frostburg, returned to his home after being ill in Miners' hospital since January 29.

SEEKS EXEMPTION



AOoFH Auxiliary Plans Red Cross Benefit Party

Social Will Be Held in St. Patrick's Church March 17

MT. SAVAGE, Feb. 27 — The Ladies Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will hold a party for the benefit of Red Cross war relief campaign on St. Patrick's day, in St. Patrick's hall.

A number of local organizations have already held social functions for the benefit of the drive and others are being planned. No house to house canvass is being made in this community but voluntary contributions may be made to regular solicitors.

To Conduct Services

The Rev. N. B. Blackman, pastor of Hyndman Methodist church, will give the first in a series of Lenten sermons in Mt. Savage Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Several guest ministers have been selected to speak at the Sunday evening services during Lent.

Mt. Savage Briefs

The Mt. Savage Girl Scout troop will meet Tuesday evening at 7:20 o'clock in the Junior Order hall. The program to be presented at the installation services Thursday evening will be planned at this meeting.

The official board of the Mt. Savage Methodist church will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the recreation hall of the church.

Personals

John Noonan is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Joseph Reagan returned home yesterday after being a patient in Allegany hospital for the past week.

The Rev. George Larkin, Bowie; Rev. George Hopkins, Baltimore; Mrs. Genevieve Hopkins and Miss Catherine Larkin, Laurel, returned yesterday after spending several days visiting relatives here.

Methodist Group Names Delegates

Representatives Will Represent Tucker County at District Conference

PARSONS, Feb. 27 — At a joint quarterly conference of Methodist churches in Tucker county held in St. John's Methodist church, Parsons, and presided over by Dr. C. E. Brant of Romney, delegates from the various churches of the county were named to attend the district conference in Romney in April.

Delegates from the First Methodist church in Parsons were Mrs. W. H. Ryan and William Repair, alternates will be Nelle Greider and Alec Gibson. St. John's delegates will be Mrs. Jason Woford and Mrs. J. Frank Robinson.

Davis-Thomas delegates will be Mrs. L. H. Mott, of Davis and Mrs. J. D. Duncan of Thomas; alternates will be Mrs. Florence Burger of Davis and Mr. C. S. Whitman of Thomas.

Pastors represented at the meeting were the Rev. E. N. Carlson, of First Methodist church and the Rev. W. W. Sutton, of St. John's Methodist church, Parsons; the Rev. A. C. Conley of St. George's Methodist church and the Rev. William Casto of Thomas-Davis Methodist church.

Contest Winners Named

Three winners in the Essay Contest sponsored by the Federation of Women's clubs in Tucker county have been announced.

Mrs. Allen Parker is a patient in Allegany hospital.

Pvt. James Twigg, Fort duPont, N. J., has returned after visiting his parents.

Mrs. Marvins Ginevan has returned from Allegany hospital.

Contributions made to the Red Cross in recent week include The Young Men's Club, The Ladies Aid Society, Methodist Episcopal church, Cresaptown, and the Oldtown Parent-Teacher association.

West Virginians Plan Victory Gardens

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Coleman Graduates

Everett L. Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Coleman, Thomas, has been graduated with the last class at Scott Field, Ill.

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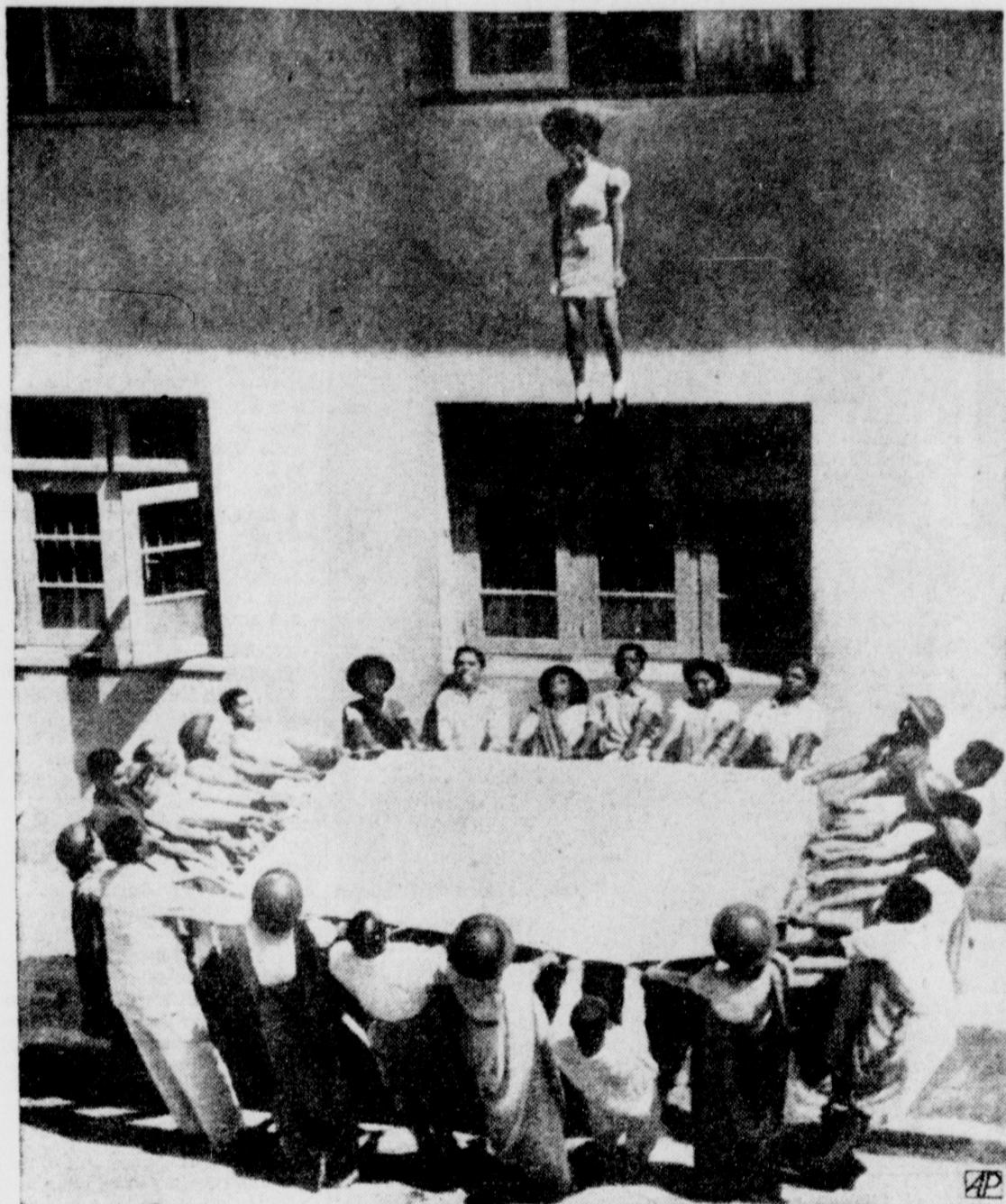
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Late News Events as Pictured by the Cameramen



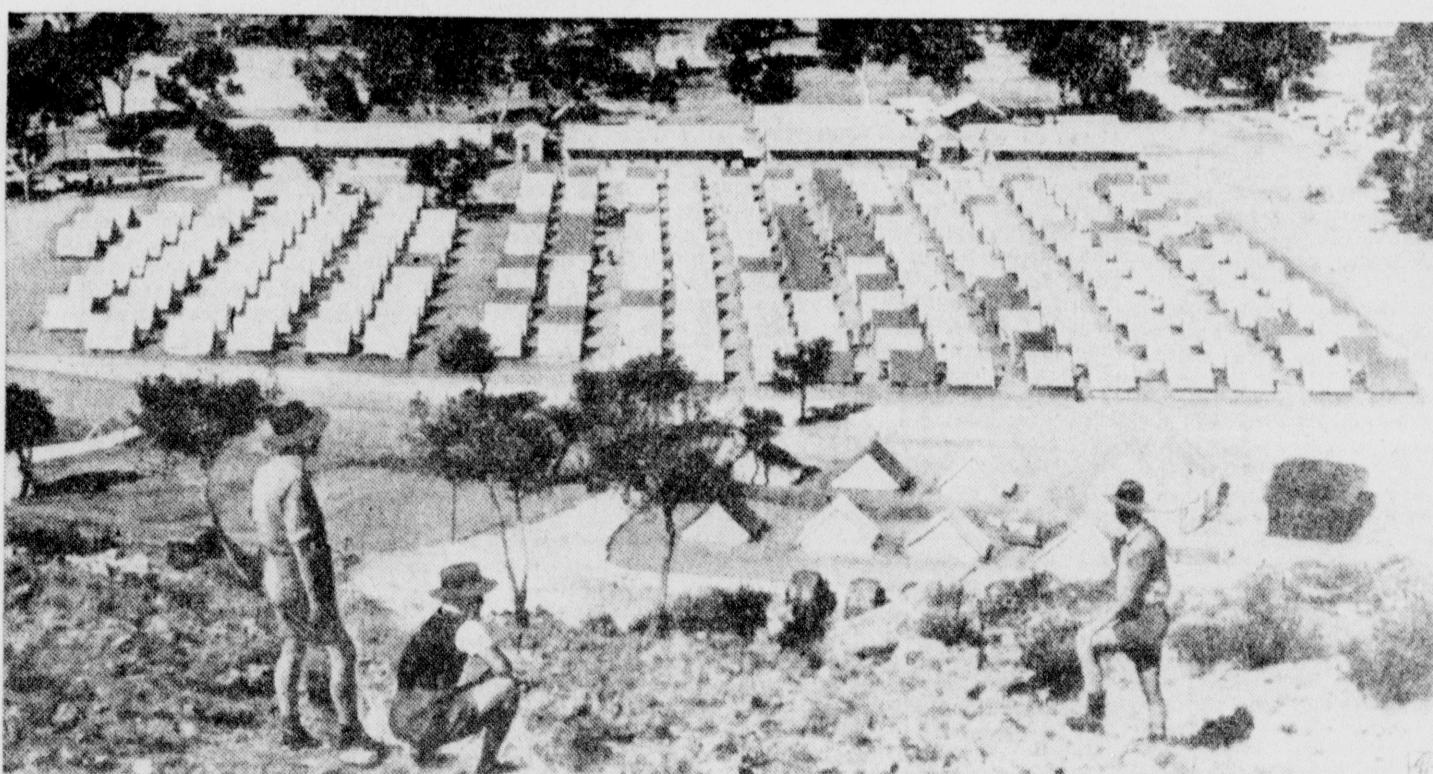
LANDING PARTY IN INDIA—Hair flying and legs held stiffly, a woman training to be an Air Raid Precaution worker in Bombay, India, drops toward a net held by other A.R.P. workers. Fall of Singapore stepped up Indian preparation for all-out warfare, with the women flocking to volunteer centers. This is rehearsal for a bombed-building rescue.



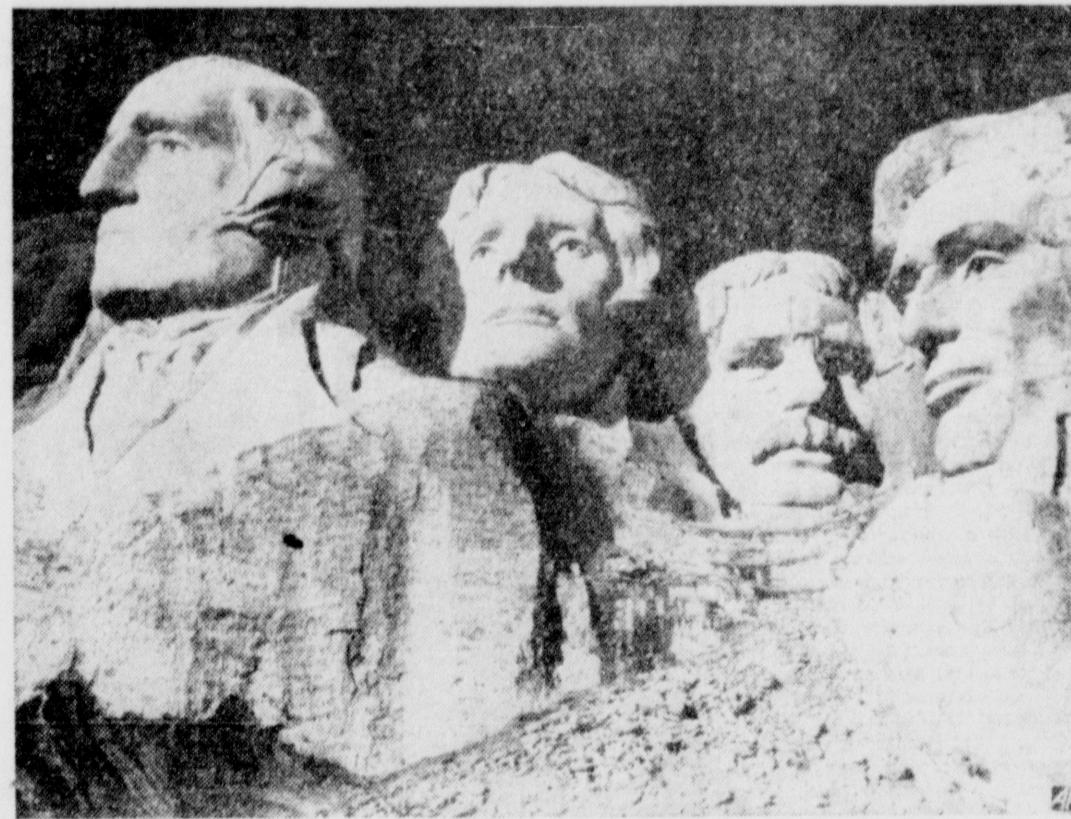
SOME RED LETTER DAYS—Those letters from wives, parents and sweethearts, addressed to the Yanks in Iceland, arrived. Here's an M.P. guarding mail being unloaded at the dock.



RWARD—After some coaxing this laughing-eyed girl in Iceland agreed to pose for a camera fan among American soldiers stationed there. She even tried "posing" a little.



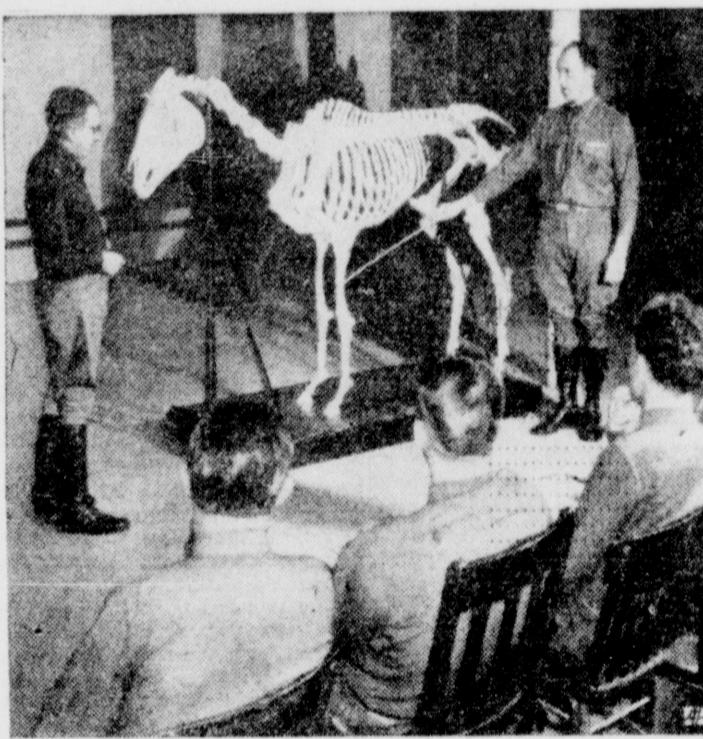
CAMP ON AUSTRALIA'S 'BURMA ROAD'—Less known than the "lifeline" for Chinese supplies is Australia's defense highway linking Darwin in the north with Adelaide, Sydney and Melbourne in the south. Above is one of road's maintenance camps.



MOUNT RUSHMORE MEMORIAL—Carved from South Dakota granite in the Black Hills, completed heads of Washington, Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Lincoln face the future.



DUETS—Hats geared to tempo of wartime coiffures were shown in N.Y. Top: Florence Reichman's bird-trimmed bonnet framing a swirl. Dache dinner froth behind popinjay hairdo bottom: be-ribboned 'calot' for teen-ager wearing "feather curl."



THE BARE FACTS—Officers and soldiers at the army's cavalry school in Fort Riley, Kan., start from the very beginning, when it comes to horses. The cavalrymen learn the handling of weapons plus all phases of horsemanship.



DESERT FLOWER—Cactus frames Jacque Miesse, newly-chosen U. of Arizona's "desert queen." Her home is Santa Monica.



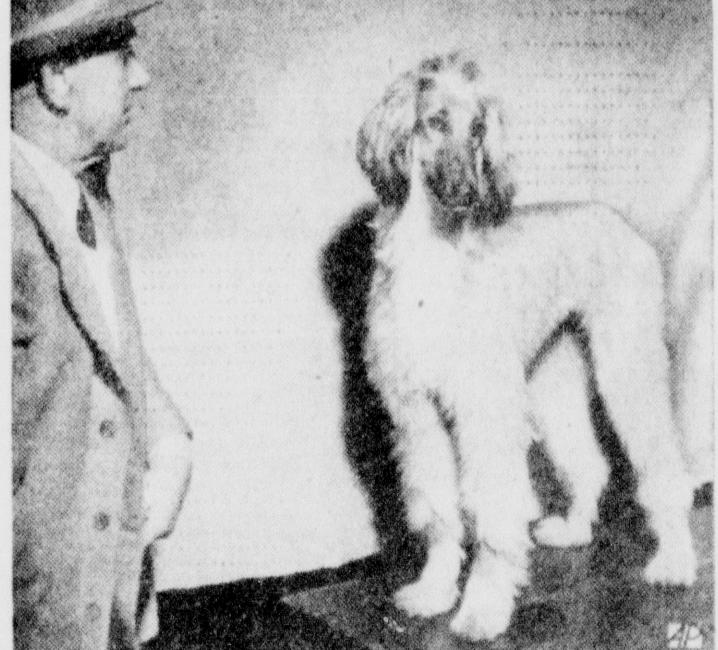
SHE'S TOPS—Best in show at Westminster Kennel club show, N.Y., was Ch. Wolvey Pattern of Edgerstoune, English-bred West Highland white terrier owned by Mrs. John G. Winant, wife of ambassador. Bob Gorman (above) was terrier's handler.



BE-RIBBONED—Ribbons won at Westminster show almost scrape the floor, worn by short-legged Ch. Watersport von Dachhausen, owned by Harvey B. Nelson, Jr., of Jersey City.



WOTTA LIFE—Strain of waiting his turn at Westminster show, N.Y., tells on Rexob's Indian Penny, a boxer.



LONG LEGS—The rather cynical stare of a visitor to Westminster kennel show doesn't ruffle dignified Cankaya of Arken, Afghan hound owned by Charles Wernsman of Derby, Conn.

LaSalle Defeats Fort Hill in Rough Game

Explorers Take Contest, 41 to 29 To Sweep Series

Sentinels Fail To Score Point until after 11 Minutes of Play

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Fort Hill Jayvees Trim LaSalle, 24-14

The Fort Hill Jayvees, with Martin and Barnes each cutting the cords for nine points, defeated the LaSalle Jayvees 24-14 in the preliminary to the varsity game last night at Fort Hill.

LaSalle held an 8-4 quarter lead but trailed 11-9 at the half and 21-12 at the end of the third period. Steiner paced the losers with seven points. The lineups:

LaSalle G. F.G. Pts. 5 0-0 10
Schmutz, f. 5 4-7 10
Geatz, g. 3 4-7 10
Small, f. 3 4-7 10
Stapleton, g. 3 0-3 4
Stakem, g. 2 0-3 4
Hunt, f. 2 0-3 4
Decker, f. 0 0-0 0
Morrissey, g. 0 0-0 0

Totals 10 7-21 41
Officials: Fearer and Innes.

Three Ram Gridders In Armed Forces Now

CLEVELAND, Feb. 27 (AP) — The Cleveland Rams of the National Professional Football League received notice today from three players that they're in the armed forces now.

They were Blocking Backs Charles Seabright and Rudy Mucha and End Howard Hickey. Hickey, from Arkansas, and Mucha of Washington, have enlisted in the navy.

Seabright, former West Virginia university player, is now in the army at Camp Wheeler, Va. He was deferred last fall because of injuries suffered during his first season of pro football.

Tournament Results

By The Associated Press
Southeastern

Tennessee 50, Mississippi State 40
Alabama 45, Tulane 36
Alabama 45, Louisiana State 31

PRESBYTERIANS SEEK SUNDAY LEAGUE TITLE

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The SPORT TRAIL

By WHITNEY MARTIN

NEW YORK, Feb. 27 — (Wide World)—If you've ever had a chair yanked out from under you as you were about to sit down, you have an idea how Gene Moore feels these days. The only difference is that Gene probably hurts all over, starting with his feelings.

Gene Moore is the 32-year-old outfielder with the boneless knee, who not so long ago was acquired by the Yankees from the Boston Braves.

Boy, oh boy, was that a break.

Gene just purred and bubbled and grinned and reckoned that now, after some dozen years in baseball, he finally had landed with a pennant winner. He'd get in that Yankee outfielder, by gum, and next October would be sticking out his mitt for a slice of that World Series melon.

Well, Gene even sees the Yankee training camp. He was just a piece of meat to be forwarded as far as Ed Barrow was concerned, and the other day it was announced Gene had been sold to Montreal, and even Del Baker, who gives every team a chance, hasn't picked Montreal to win the American League pennant yet.

It was a sneak punch, no less, but Gene has the satisfaction of knowing it could be worse. Montreal is a Dodger farm, and the Dodgers are very much contenders for the National League flag. Besides, Larry MacPhail likes his ball players aged in the wood, so before the summer is over Gene might find himself with those other life-besets-at-30 guys at Ebbets field.

During the thirteen years of campaigning Moore has made more stops than a brush salesman. He's averaged about two clubs a year since his debut with Midland in the West Texas League in 1929. Some of his stops were for repeat performances, but it meant shifting clubs just the same.

Counting his recent double play of Boston-to-New-York-to-Montreal he's been with sixteen different clubs in the nine leagues.

Despite the pony express existence Gene always has been a good journeyman ball player. He's never been a 300 hitter in the majors, but he's been up there crowding that figure several times.

Last season he hit .272 with the Braves, which isn't so much for an outfielder. Just where he planned to crash into the Yankee outfield of Keller and DiMaggio and Heinrich is hard to imagine, although his .272 average was considerably better than the .220 of George Selkirk, who still is on the Yankee roster.

At any rate, there is a gleam of hope in the fact that MacPhail okayed him for the Montreal club. Before the summer is over the Dodgers might need a course of reliable, draft-proof geniuses and a .272 hitter on the premises would do them a lot more good than a .350 hitter working for Uncle Sam.

Gene admittedly is approaching the end of his active career. He had lost his golden chance to be with a pennant winner when the Dodgers sold him back to Boston in 1940.

And now, with a final chance in prospect, he goes to Montreal.

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Ridgeley High's Floormen Down Thomas, 38 to 28

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Paw Paw Cagers Top Romney Quint, 29-28

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Romney held an 8-6 lead at the quarter and held Paw scoreless in the second period to take a 13-6 margin at halftime but Coach John Marr's outfit pulled up within one point at 21-20 at the close of the third stanza and went on to cop the close game in the last quarter.

Mike Larkin and John Clark paced the Paw Paw attack with nine points apiece while Merle Hott was the big gun for Romney with eleven markers on three goals and five of eight fouls. The lineups:

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Whitman, f. 0 0-0 0
Marr, g. 4 1-3 9
Barnes, g. 2 0-0 2
Morris, g. 1 0-0 2
McCoy, sub. 1 0-0 2
Marr, sub. 1 0-0 2
Chase, sub. 0 0-0 0
Giles, sub. 0 0-0 0
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McGill, sub. 0 0-0 0

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Officials: Bailey.

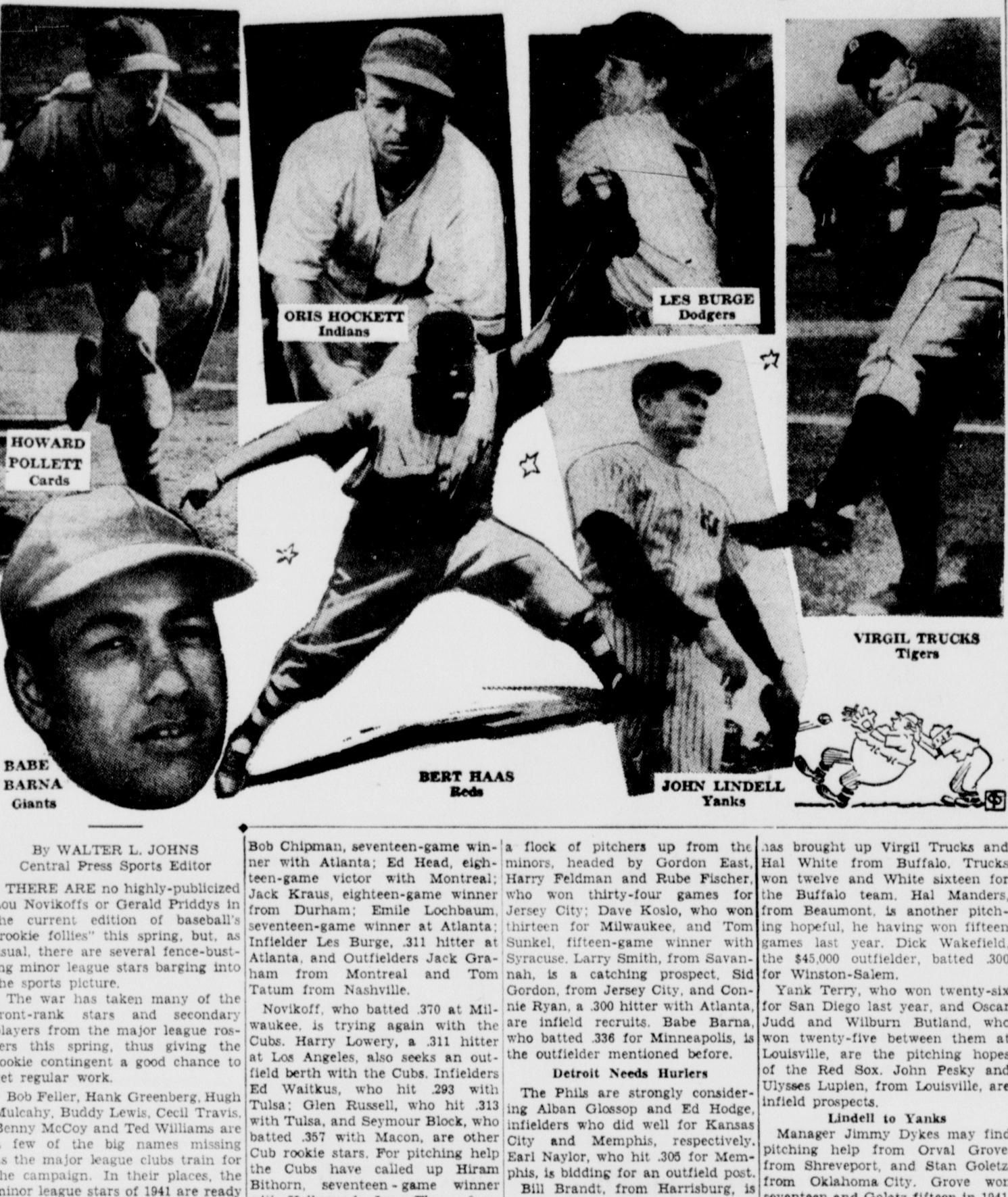
Basketball Scores

By The Associated Press

Maryland 39, VMI 36
St. Joseph's 42, DePaul 43
Arkansas 41, Texas Christian 33
Duke 41, North Carolina 40
Wake Forest 55, South Carolina 44
Tennessee 50, Mississippi State 40
Alabama 45, Tulane 36
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Western Maryland 59, Johns Hopkins 51.

Minors Send Many Rookie Hopefuls to Major Camps With Cleveland and St. Louis Cards Getting Best of Lot



Bob Chipman, seventeen-game winner with Atlanta; Ed Head, eight-game victor with Montreal; Jack Kraus, eighteen-game winner from Durham; Emilie Lochbaum, seventeen-game winner at Atlanta; Infelder Les Burge, 311 hitter at Atlanta, and Outfielders Bert Haas from Montreal and Tom Tatum from Nashville.

Novikoff, who batted .370 at Milwaukee, is trying again with the Cubs. Harry Lowry, a .311 hitter at Los Angeles, also seeks an outfield berth with the Cubs. Infielders Ed Winkler, who hit .293 with Tulsa; Glen Russell, who hit .313 with Tulsa, and Seymour Block, who batted .357 with Macon, are other Cub rookie stars. For pitching help in the campaign, the minor league stars of 1941 are ready to shine as did the Pellers, the DiMaggios or by dimmed as were the unfortunate failures of the past.

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The war has taken many of the front-rank stars and secondary players from the major league rosters this spring, thus giving the rookie contingent a good chance to get regular work.

Bob Feller, Hank Greenberg, Hugh Mulcahy, Buddy Lewis, Cecil Travis, Benny McCoy and Ted Williams are a few of the big names missing as the major league clubs train for the campaign. In their places, the minor league stars of 1941 are ready to shine as did the Pellers, the DiMaggios or by dimmed as were the unfortunate failures of the past.

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The Reds' best pitching prospect is Ray Starr, who won twenty for Indianapolis. Bert Haas is third baseman, and Russ Meers, sixteen-game winner with Nashville, and Ken Raffensberger from St. Paul.

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The Yankees' pitching roster lists several rookies, most of them in camp last spring. Rinaldo Adridio won twelve for Kansas City, John Lindell won twenty-three for Newark, Al Gettel and George Washburn won twenty-one between them at Louisville, and Bert Haas, the pitcher of the Red Sox, is in the draft report.

Detroit Needs Hurlers

The Phils are strongly considering Albin Glassop and Ed Hodges, fielders who did well for Kansas City and Memphis, respectively. Earl Naylor, who hit .305 for Memphis, is bidding for an outfield post.

Bill Brant, from Harrisburg, is the best of the Pittsburgh pitchers taken to camp. Bill Cox, infelder who batted .363 for Harrisburg, is up for a look-see. Several outfielders are making bids.

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Collegians Bolstered for Celtic Battle

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**Cumberland Crew Seeks
Second Win over New
Yorkers Tomorrow**

The Cumberland Collegians, in an all-out effort to repeat an earlier triumph over the Original New York Celtics on the SS Peter and Paul school court tomorrow night starting at 9 o'clock, will be bolstered by the addition of two new players, it was announced last night by Bill Keegan, coach of the Cumberland outfit.

Hearing that the Celtics, whose pride suffered somewhat when they dropped a 49-48 decision to the Collegians here earlier in the season, were "loading up" for the return battle, Mentor Keegan sent out for reinforcements and expects to have two more outstanding courtmen on hand for tomorrow's scrap.

Teammate of Becker

Eddie Milkovich and Roger Jorgensen will augment the regular Collegian squad of "Moe" Becker, Joe Fabel, Johnny Stephens, Freddie Crum, Walt Miller, Joe Proksa and Mel "Newt" Henry.

Milkovich was a member of last year's famous "Iron Dukes" of Duquesne University of Pittsburgh and a teammate of All-America Becker, while Jorgensen, who reaches six feet, five inches into the ozone, starred with Ohio State fives.

Fists flew and arguments delayed play when the Collegians and Celtics met here earlier in the season. It was a rough contest with the wailing of the five personal foul rule one of the factors contributing to the roughness of the contest.

Coach Keegan said last night that the Collegians really want to win this one. The locals' mentor said that tickets for the game are going fast and that a capacity crowd is indicated.

Seek Seventh Victory

The Celtics, with Davey Banks and Paul Birch featuring, had a busy evening for the Collegians when the teams met here before and although Birch is no longer with the New York outfit, several stars which have been added to the roster more than make up for Birch's loss.

The Collegians will be striving for the seventh straight victory following a preliminary at 7:45. The Cumberlanders lost by three points to the champion Detroit Eagles in their opener but then took across the Washington, Brewers, Celtics, Akron Stars, Clarksville Bottlers twice and Aberdeen in order. "Bobby" Cavanaugh will referee.

**Western Maryland
Tops Johns Hopkins**

WESTMINSTER, Md., Feb. 27 (AP)—Western Maryland cagers had to pour it on hard to overcome Johns Hopkins in basketball tonight but a final period spurt gave them a 59 to 51 victory over the Blue Jays and assured them of at least third place of the Mason-Dixon Conference.

The Terrors had things their own way during the entire first half, an early lead was steadily increased to a 34-24 advantage at half-time.

However, the Hopkins quint, paced by Bud Tannenbaum and Phil Knitz, slowly closed the gap in the second period and led 49 to 57 with six minutes to go. Mogoski, ace Terror center who had been relieved at half-time, took to the floor again and scored ten points which put Western Maryland ahead with a safe margin.

**Ruffin Decisioned
By Allie Stolz**

NEW YORK, Feb. 27 (AP)—In a rough and tumble brawl that saw a dozen low blows struck, Allie Stolz, curly-haired Newark youngster, outclassed Bobby Ruffin to take a twelve-round decision before a near capacity crowd in Madison Square Garden and climb to a ranking contender's post among the lightweights. Stolz weighed 134; Ruffin 130 1/2.

Taking the rubber match of a "grudge series" dating back three years, Stolz capitalized on a ripping right cross that staggered the former Bridgeport, Conn., cloutier four times and against which Bobby had little defense.

**Pittsburgh Pirates'
Workout Postponed**

EL CENTRO, Cal., Feb. 27 (AP)—A few hours after Frankie Frisch pronounced El Centro the ideal training camp of his lengthy baseball career an "unusual" break (censors deleted details) in this imperial valley's summer-like climate caused postponement of the daily workout of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

"The rest will do more good than harm," said Frisch, himself undergoing a treatment of an ailing foot upon which an operation was performed during the winter.

The second squad of Pirates leaves Pittsburgh tomorrow under direction of the veteran coach, Honus Wagner.

**KEYSER, PARSONS MEET
TONIGHT FOR VALLEY
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**More than Speed Necessary To Be
Real Track Champ, Wolfert Says**

By IRA WOLFERT

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—After allowing a suitable interval for observation and reflection, the average man comes to the conclusion that when he's seen one track meet he has seen them all.

The Panthers haven't lost a conference game so far this season while Keyser's only setback in the circuit was to Parsons on the latter's floor. The Golden Tornado crew, having played more games than the Tucker countants, will win the crown if they turn the tables on the Panthers.

Of the two teams, Coach John Shelton's outfit has the better record. Keyser has coppered all but one of twenty games to date and will be closing its regular season.

Parsons has annexed fifteen of nineteen tussles with three of its setbacks coming in the last four starts.

Mathias will invade Circleville for another conference engagement this evening.

**Holdout Trouble
Bothers Yankees;
Boys Due Sunday**

**DiMaggio, Ruffing, Dickey
and Gordon Are among
Those Absent**

By JUDSON BAILEY

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 27.—Storm clouds are blowing over the training camp of the New York Yankees but they have nothing to do with the weather.

Partly because of holdouts and partly for other assorted reasons, Manager Joe McCarthy has not had a facsimile of a workout and there seems to be a dismal premonition around the headquarters of the world champions that the trouble will continue for a while.

The group of important players still unsigned includes Joe DiMaggio, Red Ruffing, Bill Dickey, Joe (Flash) Gordon, Charley Keller, Rob Rodey and Gerry Priddy.

Rookies on Hand

The result is that the handful of players Marse McCarthy has been corraling at Miller Huggins field from day to day looks more like the graduation class of the Yankees' Newark Prep School than it does the great gang that captured five world championships in the last six years.

A dozen players reported for the first workout this week and today, five days later, the squad had grown only to 18. In bat practice a player has had to take his swings, then run out to the field to shag the ball so some other player could take his turn at bat.

Most of the infielders and outfielders are not due until Sunday, but Ruffing, Dickey, Lefty Marus Russo and Big Ernie Bonham, the Yankees' pitching hero of the last world series, all are overdue.

Russo finally came to terms yesterday but nobody heard from the other three missing batters even though Sonham signed sometime ago.

Barrow in Charge

All contract negotiations are being directed by President Edward G. Barrow in New York and club officials here profess to know nothing about the status of any of the absentes.

DiMaggio and his wife and baby are vacationing at Lido Beach on the Gulf of Mexico about ten miles from downtown St. Petersburg, but as far as is known Jolting Joe has not been closer than ten miles to the Yankee camp at any time since it has been open.

The Star centerfielder, who was voted the most valuable player in the American League last year and is now the highest salaried player in baseball, has not communicated with McCarthy and whether he and Barrow are near their expected \$40,000 compromise could not be learned.

Roche also may be a determined holdout. There is a general belief here that he was given a salary cut in his new contract. Since the veteran third baseman has been considering retirement from baseball to his filling station in the New Hampshire hills, he may be in no mood for taking less money.

Gordon and Priddy both are in town and are likely to sign at any time, while a better line on Keller probably will be forthcoming when the full squad reports Sunday.

**Charley Short Joins
U. S. Air Corps Reserve**

BALTIMORE, Feb. 27 (AP)—Charley Short, 47-year-old referee who estimates he has been the third man in the ring in some 20,000 fights, was sworn in as a captain in the air corps reserve to-day with the assertion he wanted to join General Douglas MacArthur in the Philippines.

"He's the best fighting man I ever knew," Short said. "I haven't any idea what my assignment will be, but I wish I could join MacArthur in the Philippine scrap. He's a square shooter with lots of guts."

Short enlisted in May, 1917, and came out of the first World War as a second lieutenant. Short is an experienced flyer and recruiting officers said his World War record proved him to be "top-notch combat material." He is considerably over the age of most active flyers, however.

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**Westmont Tops
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**Campers Nosed Out after
Slow Start and Remark-
able Comeback**

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Feb. 27.—The Westmont High Hilltoppers rallied in the final quarter of a fast and well-played game here tonight to shade the Allegany High Campers of Cumberland, Md., 37-35, and earn an even break with the Marylanders for the season.

Something like this goes on in a runner's mind when he races. Each stride he takes jitters his brain and his brain rocks and shudders like a headquarters under bombardment. The sounds of his opponents' feet are the noises of the enemy and their raps and slaps and the snorting of their breathing are the telephones, the couriers, the telegraph and the radio informing him of the changes in the situation and of the adjustments required in his plan of campaign.

A runner's resources are the battle ammunition at his disposal. Each stride is a shot in the locker. He has to figure when to blitz and when to consolidate a gain and when to deploy his material for a delaying action and when to bring up his reserves and when to throw every last one of them into the battle. Clausewitz, the all-time champion of the military writers, decided after grave thought that the battle always goes to the general who commits his reserves last. Distance runners may never have heard of the guy but they knew that all along.

But, of course, nobody except the runner himself ever sees this best and really juicy part of a race. Paavo Nurmi, great distance runner, who featured with some sensational one-hand shots, turned the tide in Westmont's favor in the closing chapter. Weiss gathered four of his eight fielders in the final heat. Lee's Baser gave Allegany a 30-27 lead at the start of the period and after Baser made a field goal, Lee followed with a foul. Weiss, after tying the score, sent two more doubledecker through the net before Athey came back in the second round to snare eleven points to the locals' six and trim Westmont's margin to six points at the half, 19-13.

Campers Go Ahead

The Marylanders kept the ball rolling in the third round with baskets by Donald Lee and Don McIntyre tying the figures 25-25. Captain Milton Athey followed with a foul and doubledecker to give Allegany a 28-25 margin to work on but Baser's twin-pointer shaved the Cumberlanders' advantage to a single point, 28-27, at the close of the third session.

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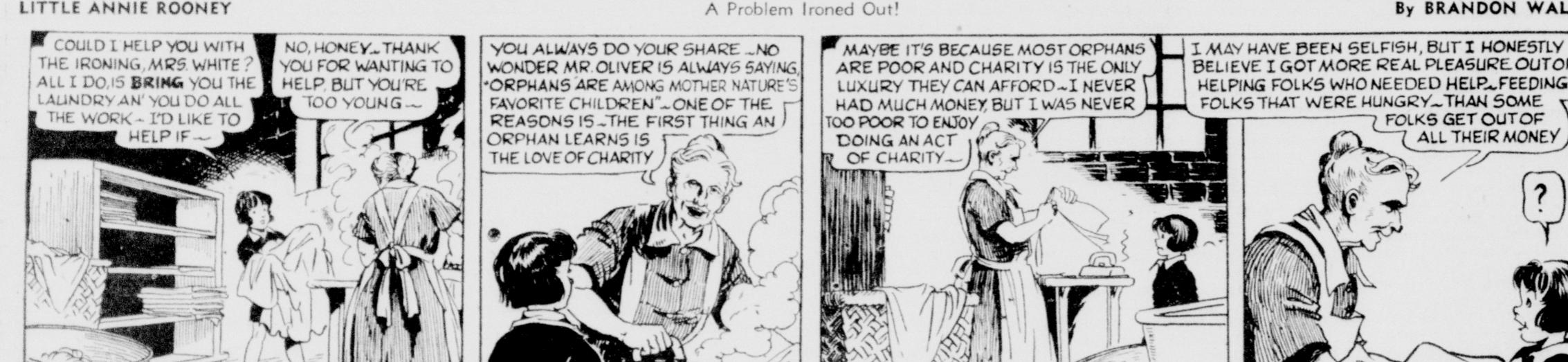
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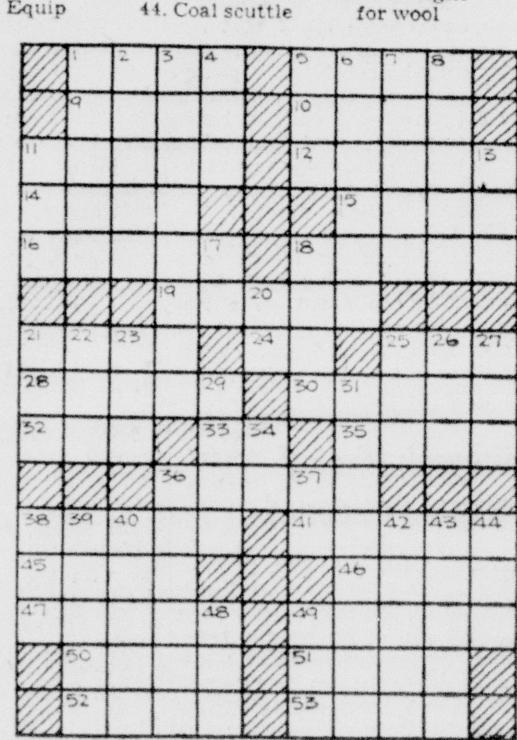
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